

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 24

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LCO No. 29

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by:

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AN ACT EXTENDING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BASED ON MILITARY SERVICE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 38a-554 of the general statutes be amended to allow
- 2 dependents who continue group health insurance coverage on the
- 3 basis of full-time study to extend such coverage by the amount of time
- 4 spent in military service if that service interrupts such full-time study
- 5 and begins before the dependent attains the age of twenty-three.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow certain full-time students to extend their group health insurance coverage by the amount of time spent in military service if such military service interrupts the full-time study and begins before the student attains the age of twenty-three.